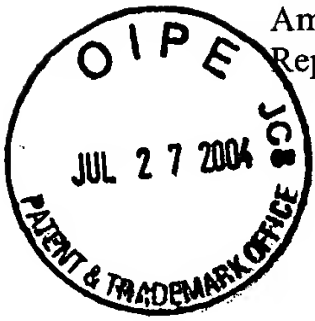


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Leland F. WILSON et al.

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PARTICULARLY VASOACTIVE INTESTINAL POLYPEPTIDE AND AGONISTS THEREOF

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

Responsive to the first Office Action for this matter, applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in light of the amendments and remarks set forth herein. As this amendment is filed four months after the March 29, 2004, mailing date of the Office Action, the fee for a one-month extension of time accompanies this filing.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

The amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims set forth on pages 2 to 6 of this paper.

REMARKS:

Applicants' remarks in support of this application are set forth on pages 7 to 16 of this paper.

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